

Charleston AFB enlisted promotions list released

The following enlisted members of Charleston AFB were promoted March 1 to the rank indicated:

Senior master sergeant

Michael Freebury, 437th Operations Support Squadron

Master sergeant

Thomas Breen, 437th Civil Engineer Squadron
Roxann Columbus, 437th Component Repair Squadron

Kyle Ellison, 437th Equipment Repair Squadron
Desmond Harris, 437th Aerial Port Squadron
Patrick Keegan, 437th Aerial Port Squadron
Dorothy Quick, 437th Supply Squadron

Technical sergeant

Kenneth Barlow, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

Andrew Bizier, 437th Civil Engineer Squadron
Jeffrey Bowens, 437th Security Forces Squadron
Edward Ebersole, 17th Airlift Squadron
Michael Elson, 14th Airlift Squadron

Michael Featherston, 1st Combat Camera Squadron

Susan Henry, 437th Airlift Wing

Charles Irvin, 437th Aerial Port Squadron

Dean Jeavons, 437th Component Repair Squadron

Collin Papke, 373rd Training Squadron

Frederick Smith, 373rd Training Squadron

Kimberly Wright, 437th Airlift Wing

Staff sergeant

John Alverson, 437th Component Repair Squadron

Edgar Aquino, 437th Airlift Wing

Rebecca Arguello, 437th Aeromedical Dental Squadron

Gabriel Baca, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

Temple Burris, 437th Logistics Support Squadron

Bernadette Campbell, 14th Airlift Squadron

Shawn Chenault, 437th Civil Engineer Squadron

Michael Dinkins, 437th Medical Support Squadron

Michael Duhe, 437th Airlift Wing

Duane Farley, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

Watasha Glover, 437th Aeromedical Dental Squadron

Tony Johnson, 437th Supply Squadron

Theron Lord Jr., 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Melinda Quigley, 437th Aeromedical Dental Squadron

David Rich, 437th Security Forces Squadron

John Warminsky III, 17th Airlift Squadron

Jemelle Wooten, 437th Communications Squadron

Senior Airman

Lloyd Anderson, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Michele Bacon, 437th Security Forces Squadron

Jason Benfield, 437th Aerial Port Squadron

Dennis Blake Jr., 437th Component Repair Squadron

Mark Bledsoe, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

Eric Blevins, 437th Transportation Squadron

Paul Bright, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

Donavan Brooks, 437th Component Repair Squadron

Jackie Brown, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Robert Brown Jr., 437th Aerial Port Squadron

Patrick Cann, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Joe Canteen Jr., 437th Supply Squadron

Jason Coomer, 437th Component Repair Squadron

Jason Finley, 437th Aerial Port Squadron

Anthony Genova, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Sean Gosnell, 437th Communications Squadron

Tyler Hagemann, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Patrick Haro, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Kirk Hirschman, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Genell Johnson, 16th Airlift Squadron

Benjamin Massarelli, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Christopher McClain, 15th Airlift Squadron

Timothy Modjeski, 437th Comptroller Squadron

Todd Novak, 437th Security Forces Squadron

Matthew Peak, 437th Component Repair Squadron

Jose Perez, 437th Communications Squadron

Richard Schoonmaker, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Elbert Sharp, 437th Component Repair Squadron

John Stinnett, 437th Civil Engineer Squadron

William Taylor, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Erica Toole, 437th Component Repair Squadron

Corinna Trauger, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

David Watson, 437th Transportation Squadron

Airman 1st Class

Jeremy Bohac, 437th Component Repair Squadron

Andrew Joyner, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

Hugo Monge, 437th Medical Operations Squadron

Dawn Potter, 437th Transportation Squadron

Lavina Ramirez, 15th Airlift Squadron

Leigh Sergeant, 437th Aerial Port Squadron

Michael Shifflett, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

Teddrick Taylor, 437th Supply Squadron

Airman

John Barkey, 437th Civil Engineer Squadron

Latoya Jackson, 16th Airlift Squadron

Daniel St. George, 437th Supply Squadron

Carmen Stanco, 437th Aeromedical Dental Squadron

Gail Utkan, 437th Mission Support Squadron

Michelle Yourdon, 437th Mission Support Squadron

Senior master sergeant selectees announced

The following members have been selected for promotion to senior master sergeant:

John Grogan, 437th Equipment Maintenance Squadron

Mark Burns, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

Derek Randall, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

Timothy Stament, 437th Aircraft Generation Squadron

Gary Morris, 437th Wing Staff (Inbound)

Peggy Miller, 437th Logistics Support Squadron

Steven Wiggins, Naval Brig

Lee Casillas, 1st Combat Camera Squadron

Renee Tyron, 1st Combat Camera Squadron

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cations will have to made. Eventually, we'll have 15 aircraft modified for SOLL II use," Groenheim said. "We will spread the aircrew manning requirements out among our three current C-17 squadrons and a fourth one when the 16th Airlift Squadron reactivates. We have been directed to have our first C-17 SOLL II crew qualified by April 1 and add an additional crew every three months until we have nine total crews."

He added that they began C-17 SOLL II training January 18. "Air Mobility Command headquarters is allowing us to conduct Air Force unilateral training so that we can maintain a cadre of experienced people to build on corporate knowledge, revise checklists and to ensure the SOLL II mission seamlessly transfers back to Charleston.

We want to avoid any delays in the buildup."

SOLL II missions can be some of the most demanding flying around, he said. "If all goes as planned, the wing will receive 111 billets to support the SOLL II program."

The 315th Airlift Wing also gains five drill positions as part of the Force Structure announcement.

The initiatives in the announcement will result in a more efficient use of Air Force resources, according to Air Force officials.

"The final number the base receives for the Air Expeditionary Force 2nd allocation may also be different than what is in the public announcement for FY01," said Tona Cook, chief of the Manpower and Organization Office. "Unfortunately, the public announcement was required prior to final allocation numbers being determined."



Dining in (C-17) style

Team Charleston recently hosted area government and civic leaders for "Breakfast on the Flightline" inside a C-17. During the event, 437th Airlift Wing commander Brig. Gen Robert Bishop, Jr. expressed his thanks for support of the base during his tenure.

Tech Sgt. Brian Jones